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25.504-1 Buy American Act.

(a)(1) Example 1.

| Offer A | \$12,000 | Domestic end prod- |
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| Offer B | 11,700 | uct, small business. Domestic end prod- |
| | | uct, small business. |
| Offer C | 10,000 | U.Smade end prod- uct (not domestic), |
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(2) Analysis: This acquisition is for end products for use in the United States and is set aside for small business concerns. The Buy American Act applies. Since the acquisition value is less than \$25,000 and the acquisition is set aside, none of the trade agreements apply. Perform the steps in 25.502(a). Offer C is evaluated as a foreign end product because it is the product of a small business, but is not a domestic end product (see 25.502(c)(4)). Since Offer B is a domestic offer, apply the 12 percent factor to Offer C (see 25.105(b)(2)). The resulting evaluated price of \$11,200 remains lower than Offer B. The cost of Offer B is therefore unreasonable (see 25.105(c)). Award on Offer C at \$10,000 (see 25.502(c)(4)(i)).

(b)(1) Example 2.

| Offer A | \$11,000 | Domestic end product, small busi- |
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| Offer B | \$10,700 | Domestic end product, small busi- |
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| Offer C | \$10.200 | U.Smade end product (not do- |
| | \$10,200 | mestic), small business |
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(2) Analysis: This acquisition is for end products for use in the United States and is set aside for small business concerns. The Buy American Act applies. Perform the steps in 25.502(a). Offer C is evaluated as a foreign end product because it is the product of a small business but is not a domestic end product (see 25.502(c)(4)). After ap-

plying the 12 percent factor, the evaluated price of Offer C is \$11,424. Award on Offer B at \$10,700 (see 25.502(c)(4)(ii)).

[64 FR 72419, Dec. 27, 1999, as amended at 67 FR 21535, Apr. 30, 2002]

25.504-2 WTO GPA/Caribbean Basin Trade Initiative/FTAs.

Example 1.

| Offer A | 303,000 300,000 | U.Smade end product (not domestic). U.Smade end product (domestic), small business. Eligible product. |
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| Offer D | 295,000 | Noneligible product (not U.Smade). |

Analysis: Eliminate Offer D because the acquisition is covered by the WTO GPA and there is an offer of a U.S.-made or an eligible product (see 25.502(b)(1)). If the agency gives the same consideration given eligible offers to offers of U.S.-made end products that are not domestic offers, it is unnecessary to determine if U.S.-made end products are domestic (large or small business). No further analysis is necessary. Award on the low remaining offer, Offer C (see 25.502(b)(2)).

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25.504-3 FTA/Israeli Trade Act.

(a) Example 1.

Offer A \$105,000 Domestic end product, small business.

Offer B 100,000 Eligible product.

Analysis: Since the low offer is an eligible offer, award on the low offer (see 25.502(c)(1)).

(b) Example 2.

 $\begin{array}{lll} \hbox{Offer A} & \$105,000 & \hbox{Eligible product.} \\ \hbox{Offer B} & 103,000 & \hbox{Noneligible product.} \\ \end{array}$

Analysis: Since the acquisition is not covered by the WTO GPA, the contracting officer can consider the non-eligible offer. Since no domestic offer was received, make a nonavailability